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SUBJECT: INFORMATION ON IMPLEMENTATION OF ANNEX D OF THE
FLORENCE AGREEMENT

REF: (A) STATE A-211 (B) STATE 127378

1. QUESTION OF LACK OF FRENCH RESPONSE TO FLORENCE AGREE-
MENT QUESTIONNAIRE WAS RAISED WITH DE L'ESTOILE DURING HIS
RECENT VISIT TO COMMERCE DEPARTMENT. DE L'ESTOILE WAS
AWARE OF THIS REQUEST FOR INFORMATION AND EXPRESSED SOME
CONCERN THAT QUESTION OF CRITERIA FOR SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS
IS SENSITIVE. SPECIFICALLY, FRENCH DO NOT CONSIDER COM-
PUTERS AS SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS FOR FLORENCE AGREEMENT
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PURPOSES. HE WAS ASSURED THAT THIS WAS NO PROBLEM AND THAT
THE PRACTICE VARIES FROM COUNTRY TO COUNTRY. (THE U.S. FOR
THE MOST PART DOES NOT CONSIDER COMPUTERS ELIBILE FOR
DUTY-FREE IMPORTATION UNDER THE AGREEMENT.)

2. SINCE QUESTION WAS RAISED WITH DE L'ESTOILE AND IT IS
MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY THAT IMPLEMENTS THE AGREEMENT, WE

SUGGEST THAT EMBASSY APPROACH CIZAIN IN EFFORT TO PROMPT
FRENCH TO SUPPLY INFORMATION REQUESTED IN QUESTIONNAIRE.

AS NOTED REF. B, THIS INFORMATION REQUIRED TO PREPARE FOR
BILATERAL CONSULTATIONS WITH EC ON FLORENCE WHICH MAY TAKE
PLACE AS EARLY AS SEPTEMBER. CHRISTOPHER

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